



## MX3D METAL PRINTING BY JORIS LAARMAN LAB

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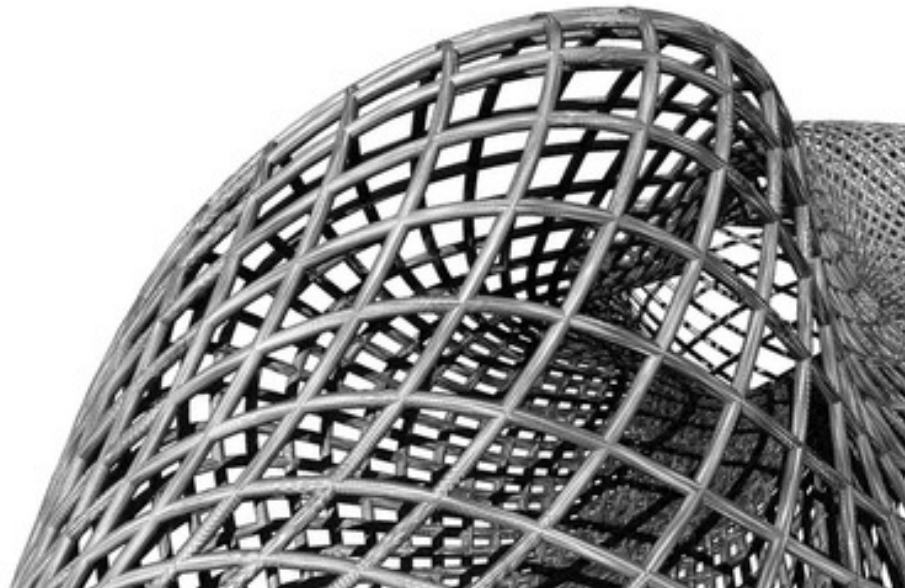
Drawing with metal in mid-air: ***MX3D Metal Printing by Joris Laarman Lab*** introduces a new 3D printing process that allows a variety of metals - stainless steel, aluminum, bronze, copper - to be formed directly in the air, in any location, on any surface, with no enclosure required and no excess material to be removed.

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Details: Large-scale, multiple-axis 3D printing is achieved with the fusion of a robotic arm and an advanced welding machine, that allows printing directly from CAD software. Developed in collaboration with Dutch automation experts, Acotech, with support from Autodesk.



Designer: Joris Laarman Lab, formed in Amsterdam in 2004 by designer/artist Joris Laarman and film maker Anita Star, engages in experimental work with emerging technologies, digital fabrication and computational design, and collaborates internationally with craftsmen, scientists and other creators.

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Joris Laarman Lab's MX3D Metal Printing will be used for the creation of a new sculptural bench during an exhibition at the Friedman Benda gallery in New York in May 2014.



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